

**71.** A gaming machine comprising:

a master gaming controller designed to i) generate a game of chance played on the gaming machine and ii) generate an elimination game played on the gaming machine;

a display screen for displaying the game of chance and the elimination game.

**72.** The gaming machine of claim 71, wherein the game of chance is selected from the group consisting of slot games, poker games, pachinko games, multiple hand poker games, pai-gow poker games, blackjack games, keno games, bingo games, roulette games, craps games and card games.

**73.** The gaming machine of claim 71, wherein the game of chance is generated as part of the elimination game.

**74.** The gaming machine of claim 71, wherein the master gaming controller is designed to generate a virtual entity in the elimination game.

**75.** The gaming machine of claim 71, further comprising:

a communication interface used by the master gaming controller to communicate with remote gaming devices.

**76.** The gaming machine of claim 75, wherein the remote gaming devices are at least one of a plurality of gaming machines, an elimination game server and combinations thereof.

**77.** The gaming machine of claim 75, wherein the elimination game is played simultaneously on a plurality of gaming machines and the master gaming controller receives elimination game information via the communication interface from the plurality of gaming machines.

**78.** The gaming machine of claim 77, wherein elimination game information from the plurality of gaming machines is displayed on the display screen of the gaming machine.

**79.** The gaming machine of claim 71, wherein the elimination game is a bonus game triggered during the play of the game of chance.

**80.** The gaming machine of claim 71, further comprising:

a bonus wheel wherein the bonus wheel is used to display results from an elimination test for the elimination game played on the gaming machine.

**81.** A gaming system for playing an elimination game:

an elimination game server, the elimination game server comprising:

a first communication interface designed to communicate with a plurality of gaming machines via a network;

an elimination game controller designed to: a) receive results of a game played on the plurality of gaming machines used in the elimination game via the first communication interface; b) apply one more elimination tests used in the elimination game using the results of the game played on the plurality of gaming machines; c) send an outcome of the one or more elimination tests to the plurality of gaming machines via the first communication interface;

the plurality of gaming machines, each gaming machine comprising:

a second communication interface

a master gaming controller designed to i) generate a game of chance played on the gaming machine separate from the elimination game, ii) generate the game played on the gaming machine used in the elimination game; and iii) send results of the game played on gaming machine used in the elimination game to the elimination game server; and

a display screen for displaying the game of chance and the elimination game.

**82.** The gaming system of claim 81, wherein the elimination game server is a gaming machine.

**83.** The gaming system of claim 81, wherein the elimination game controller is further designed to a) generate information for an elimination game scoreboard and b) send the information for the elimination game scoreboard to the plurality of gaming machines using the first communication interface.

**84.** The gaming system of claim 81, wherein the master game controller is further designed to a) receive the outcome of the one or more elimination tests from the elimination game server and b) generate a presentation for the outcome of the one or more elimination tests that is displayed on the display screen.

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